

2009 Cyril McNiff Memorial Scholarships

\$2,000 Scholarships



Kieran Coleman
Pittsburgh, PA
Burke-Conroy School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: Johns Hopkins University
Plans to major in International Studies/
Political Science



Pauline Knighton
Farmington Hills, MI
Flanagan-O'Hare School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: University of Michigan
Plans to major in Business



Charles Walck
Black River, NY
Johnston School of Irish Dance
Attends: Syracuse University
Majors in Mechanical Engineering

\$1,000 Scholarships



Shannon Cantwell
Greenville, SC
Drake School of Irish Dance
Attends: Furman University
Majors in Economics



Sylvie Render
Skokie, IL
Mullane-Healy-O'Brien Academy of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: Vanderbilt University
Plans to major in Neuroscience or Psychology



Melissa Rooney
Germantown, MD
Culkin School of Traditional Irish Dance
Plans to attend: Villanova University
Plans to major in Physics and Secondary Education

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\$750 Scholarships



Alexander Bara
Tinley Park, IL
Dennehy School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: University of Illinois at
Urbana/Champaign
Plans to major in Nuclear Engineering



Caroline Bogdan
Ellicott City, MD
Maple School of Irish Dance
Attends: Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)
Majors in Environmental Engineering



Rachel McGrain
Columbia, MD
Culkin School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: University of Maryland - College Park
Plans to major in Sociology



Megan Rodts
Oak Park, IL
Trinity Academy of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: University of Notre Dame
Plans to major in Chemical Engineering Pre-Med



Mary Sheehan
El Cajon, CA
Malone Academy of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: Suffolk University
Plans to major in Interior Design



Hunter Stoner
Richmond, VA
An Cor Rud School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: University of Richmond
Plans to major in Pre-Med

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\$500 Scholarships



Tehya Baxter
San Diego, CA
Comerford School of Irish Dance
Attends: UCLA
Majors in World Arts and Cultures/Dance



Elizabeth Mosier
Milwaukee, WI
Trinity Academy of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: Northwestern University
Plans to major in Biomedical Engineering



Lauren Hathaway
Phoenix, AZ
Tir Conaill Academy of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: Fordham University
Plans to major in English/Creative Writing



Caitlyn Myron
Orland Park, IL
Cross Keys School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: University of Notre Dame
Plans to major in English and Spanish



Jordyn Hornyak
Medina, OH
Tim O'Hare School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: Ohio State University
Plans to major in Pharmacy



Darcy Regan
Amherst, NY
Rince na Tiarna School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: University at Buffalo
Plans to major in Engineering



Jessica Hoy
Denver, CO
Wick School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: University of California,
Santa Barbara
Plans to major in Physics/Mathematics



Mairead Stillson
Gorham, ME
Stillson School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: University of Maine
Plans to major in Psychology



Rachel Lavigne
Herndon, VA
Boyle School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: The College of
William & Mary
Plans to major in History/Political Science



Madeline Wilkes
Toronto, Ontario, Canada
Gilchrist-Canavan School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: McMaster University
Plans to major in Physics or Mathematics



Kenly Lesak
Concord, NC
Rince na h'Eireann School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: North Carolina State University
Plans to major in Fashion and
Textile Management



Michael Yap
Richmond, British Columbia, Canada
Nora Pickett Irish Dance Academy
Plans to attend: University of British Columbia
Plans to major in Architecture



Brianne Marron
Dix Hills, NY
Petri School of Irish Dance
Plans to attend: Boston College
Plans to major in Environmental Studies